

SSC Drainage System Linked To New Pool

It's been almost a year since they began installing fast-flow drainage systems around campus. Various tidal basins still appear during our two-semester monsoon season but few people have taken note of the fact that the water doesn't stay around very long.

This occurrence may seem odd to those

who know the system hasn't been completed to its final destination in the Tony Tank. Where the water goes does not concern campus dwellers as much as how long it will continue to immerse the sidewalks.

In another, but not totally unrelated item of interest, the campus community was pleased at the opening of the new

pool. With a slow-flow drainage system of its own, the pool held many splash-happy people and gradually sprung a few leaks. The gradual raising and lowering of the level was attributed to refilling after subsequent water losses and not to the moon's activities.

Proponents of a scandalous theory were

quickly put in their place by pool administrators. Upon presenting facts that proved the new pool was the end of the line for the drainage system, authorities told the rabble-rousers their evidence would not hold water.

"There's no connection between the installation of the pool and the drainage system," said one prominent administrator as he waded to his car. "And there's certainly no connection between the pool and the sewers themselves."

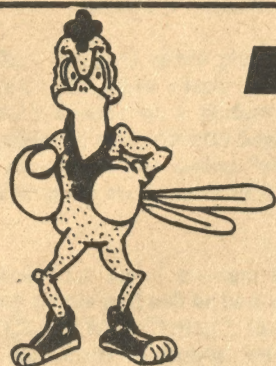
Angry students claim the pool administrators are all wet.

"They're all wet," they cried. "Why does the pool level rise just after it rains here?"

"Why are cesspool goldfish swimming in the students' pool?"

"Why do the sidewalks smell of chlorine?"

These questions are among many that will be asked at a special hearing as soon as it can be explained how a set of car keys got to the bottom of the swimming pool after being lost in the Caruthers Hall parking lot the day before.



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SGA: Where Student Money Goes

The Student Government Association has released a report to the student body detailing the use of its 1976-1977 budget of \$102,000. According to SGA Treasurer Lynn Gamble, "About 75% of the money went to student activities this year. That's the highest percentage this school has ever had."

Among the student activities she mentioned were:

—A trip to Arkansas for Yearbook editor Joe Norton (Why Arkansas? "I've never been to Arkansas," he said.).

—A *Flyer* staff party in Bermuda last December. ("We wanted it to be an outdoor party but it wasn't warm enough in Salisbury," commented editor Joan Stack.)

—Trips to major concerts all over the country for members of the College Center Program Board "so they'll know what they're like, in case we ever have one here."

—A consultation with Russian Chess Master Boris Spassky for members of the chess club. "The real expense involved here," Gamble said, "wasn't sending them all off to the Soviet Union, it was what we had to pay the Russian government to let them out again."

Gamble said some of the remaining money went to the purchase of equipment for various student organizations. Among the purchases were a refrigerator, ice machine and a microwave oven for the staff of WSSC. "These were necessary," Gamble said, "for the times when the staff entertains visiting recording artists." She said that so far no recording artist has accepted their invitation to the basement of Manokin Hall but if one ever does, they're ready.

"A lot of these were one-time purchases," Gamble said, "but there are also a lot of bills that must be paid regularly." Among these, she said, are the bill for the SGA Executive Council's monthly dinner at Johnny and Sammy's and the payments on the SGA President's new Porsche.

Gamble, who commented on a postcard from Las Vegas, said, "We're very happy that such a large percentage went to student activities. After all, we're all students."

Begin Rotation Parking System Next Semester

The College Traffic and Safety Committee has announced its new parking regulations for next year amidst a mixture of praise and condemnation. One faculty member said, "Finally we will have a parking system that is fair to everybody." But a highly reliable student said, "I don't know. I'll have to see it in use."

After long deliberation the committee opted to adopt a simple system with strict enforcement. The system will operate as follows:

Faculty members and staff will park in the Blackwell Library lot on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays except when it is raining. On rainy days, Tuesdays and Thursdays they will go to the Caruthers Hall lot. This will leave the Blackwell lot open for commuters on those days. Residents will still park in the Devilbiss Hall lot.

This rule will be in effect for the first two hours and fifteen minutes of the academic year (8 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.). At that time everyone will go to their cars and move them one parking lot clockwise. For example, resident students in the Devilbiss lot will move to the Blackwell Library lot. Whoever is in the Blackwell lot (depending on the day and/or weather) will move to the Caruthers lot, and whoever is in the Caruthers lot will simultaneously move to the now empty Devilbiss lot.

Due to the condition of the Allenwood Property lot, only four-wheel drive vehicles will be permitted there.

The rotation system will continue at two hour and 15 minute intervals for the entire semester. One exception to the rules is that on Eastern Orthodox holidays all parking regulations will be suspended.

Traffic and Safety Committee member Mrs. Beardsley said, "This is the only system we could find that treats everyone on campus fairly and equally. Everyone gets their shot at the good lots."

Commenting on the new system, SSC President Mormon Clawfoot said, "Huh?"

The committee also decided that the towing of violator's cars has not proved to be very effective. For this reason the committee has opted for a stricter penalty for people who park in the wrong lots. Committee chairman, Mr. Johnny Corn, talking about what measures would be taken against such violators said, "Capital punishment, of course."

Enforce Stricter Campus Security

Due to the recent incident involving a showering student and a drug-crazed Fruitland citizen, campus security will patrol the dormitories more frequently than usual (at least twice each semester per dorm). Special training will be offered to those officers unable to readily identify either off-campus or drug-crazed persons asking wild questions such as, "Where's the party?"

Furthermore, a special detail has been assigned to all bathrooms with orders to shoot on sight anyone seen following a student into showers or toilet stalls. To avoid embarrassing anyone, officers have been instructed to "look the other way" during normal moments when there is no apparent danger. So if daily you see the same pair of black, orthopedic shoes in a stall near the shower, it's probably one of our boys in blue.

Since there is only one female security officer, Director of Security, John Corn will personally patrol the women's showers. Chainmail jock straps will be provided for below the belt protection.



The tent, fondly remembered by students as last semester's temporary student union, is being resurrected as a temporary classroom building, according to sources high in the administration. The tent will go back into service in time for next Fall's classes.

SSC To Get Campus Pub, Celebrate With Keg Party

The long-awaited opening of the Salisbury State College Campus Pub will be held on Friday, April 1, 1977, according to Gordon Howits, Director of Business and Financial Services.

The Pub will be located in the new Student Activities Building, which is located between Devilbiss Science Hall and the cafeteria.

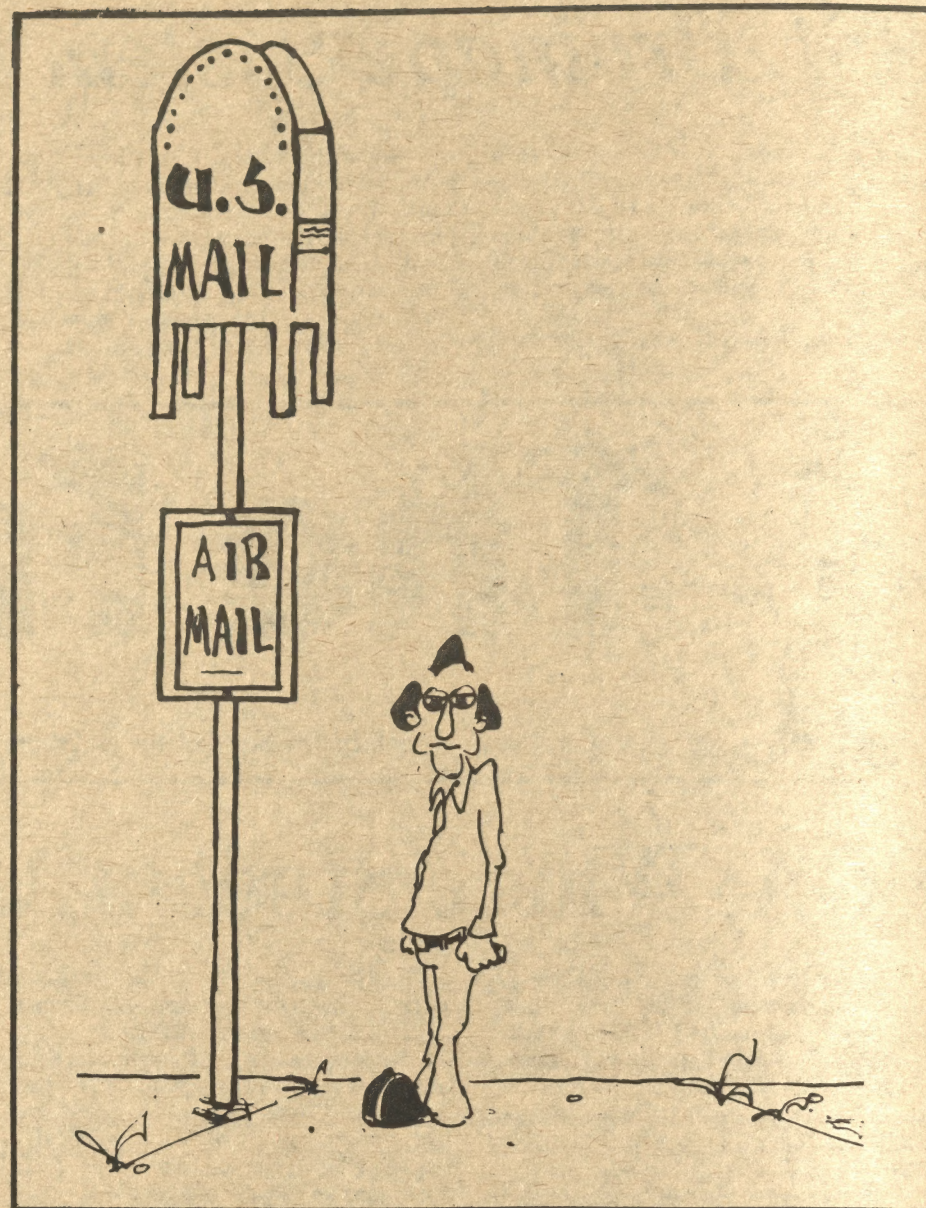
The opening of the Pub will be marked by an all-campus Keg Party. Dr. Noman Crawford, President of SSC will be on hand at 8 p.m. to draw the first draft. He is expected to remain at the Pub through the night to talk to students. At this time he is expected to invite all graduating seniors to a Farewell Keg Party on the back lawn of his home on April 30.

In the event that the Maryland General Assembly raises the drinking age before April 1, arrangements have been made with the Pepsi Cola Bottling Company of Salisbury to supply under-age students with refreshments. It has been intimated to this reporter that several students will be standing by to make beer runs to West Virginia, where the legal age is 18, if such an unlikely event should occur.

Students who would like to attend the opening should apply for a Pub membership card no later than midnight, March 31. According to Howits, "They should bring their Social Security number, SSC ID, and a notarized Birth Certificate to the new Student Activities Bldg. between noon and midnight."

The Student Government Association viewed the opening of the Pub as a major victory for the students of SSC. Timmy

Raygun, President of the SGA, said, "The desire of the silent majority of students at SSC has been heard and heeded in this matter. Students will be able to enjoy the friendly atmosphere of a Campus Pub with a minimum of red tape and bureaucratic run-around. The wishes of the students usually get lost in a quagmire of bureaucracy and it is refreshing to see such cooperation on the part of the Administration. In fact, it is so unusual that it would make a great April Fool's Day joke."



Mi-Amin Takes Over SSC Campus

Student President Tim Mi-Amin has renounced allegations concerning his term of office. After announcing a cancellation of this year's elections, the President's office was swamped with telephone calls and correspondence claiming he was establishing himself as President for life.

The original announcement contained statements that indicated there was no reason for anyone else to be president while he was in school.

Mi-Amin's office has issued a press release reaffirming the fact that he only needs to be president while he is a student.

"The 'President-for-life' accusations

are only malicious bull*%*. All my power and prosperity won't do in the real world. You can't take it with you," commented Mi-Amin.

Mi-Amin's "power and prosperity" of course are the takeover and occupation of the second floor of Holloway Hall, the coercion of the faculty to adopt a dead-mouth policy, abolition of failing grades and abolition of professors issuing failing grades.

Min-Amin has been instrumental in the cancellation of concerts.

"With the cancellation's so far, we've saved \$350,000. Two more cancellations

and I'll have my house paid for."

Documentation of arbitrary decisions has been a favorite project of Mi-Amin. "Not only do I want to record my decisions for others to refer to but I want to demonstrate how to arbitrarily decide."

The length of Mi-Amin's term is undetermined as of yet. A recent quote states Mi-Amin will apply for graduation only after he has neatly assembled his courses into a major.

Among the people on Mi-Amin's graduation invitation list are the college's registrar, president, and academic dean. Various deans may also be invited if the Pearly Gates can be unlocked in time.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Ed.:

Physical Activities Center, Hell! It's a new gym.

Sincerely,
A. C. Schuler

Who's Complaining?

It has come to the attention of The Fryer staff that there are actually students on campus who have been complaining about things. Lately some troublemakers have had the audacity to ask us to print letters and commentaries in which they speak out about what is wrong with the school. We find this situation deplorable. This is a nice newspaper. Why would we want to get involved with controversy and problems?

Salisbury State College has long been a "nice" school, known for its friendliness and intimacy. Sure things aren't perfect, but complaining will only make them worse.

The more you complain, the more it puts people in a bad mood. If someone is doing a lousy job, it will only make them mad to know someone else knows they are doing a lousy job. How can Salisbury State College continue to be "nice" if everyone is in a bad mood?

Sure there are things wrong here (though we hasten to add that we can't think of one offhand). But if we continue to tell the faculty and administration

about them, it only blows them out of proportion. Our motto here has always been "Ignore it and maybe it will go away." Let's keep it up.

New Parking

Due to the ever-increasing student population at SSC and the ever-dwindling amount of parking spaces on the campus, the State Board of Trustees and Salisbury State College, in a rare display of concern for the student's problem, announced today that they had annexed Fruitland as an alternative parking facility.

According to a source high in the administration, the town of Fruitland (pop. 17, 3 dogs, 2 cats, and 92 chickens) is to be leveled and paved over in asphalt and used as the new campus parking facility, tentatively labeled as the "O-Zone".

A disgruntled Fruitland could not be reached for comment.

The college is now considering a list of possible names for the new college center building which was scheduled to be opened last September but wasn't.

The College Center Program Board, which is charged with the responsibility of making the final selection, asked for suggestions from the student body earlier this semester. CCPB Chairman Nan C. Spence said, "We got about 100 different suggestions from the student body, but only 15 or 20 were usable." She said that the state's official signpainter refused to make a sign containing four-letter words so they had to throw out the remaining suggestions.

Among those still under consideration are:

- The Albatross
- The Titanic
- The Holly Center (Since the Holly leaf is symbolic of a college atmosphere.)
- The Marvin Mandel Temporary Student Union
- The More-Permanent-Than-Temporary Student Union
- The Tin Can Center
- The Poseidon

- The SUB-Salisbury Union Building
- The Poor Union Building-PUB
- The Not-Necessarily-Better-Late-Than-Never Student Union.

The CCPB is still open to suggestions since the building will probably not be finished during the natural life of anyone here now.

The Fryer is published whenever we damn feel like it by whomever we can find to do it. We are located in rooms 202 and 214 Holloway Hall unless you want to deliver a summons and then we are located in the Bell Tower by appointment only.

The Fryer welcomes letters to the editor, unless they are critical of us, of someone else on the campus or of the school itself. We also do not get involved in politics, religion, crime or controversy.



The College Center Program Board is going to announce for the first time SSC will present a double feature instead of

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MARY POPPINS

Mary Poppins takes place in England in 1910. Poppins (Julie Andrews) is a banker's answer to a perfect Nanny. His two children are perfectly happy with this new supervisor who makes "every job that must be done an element of fun."

Dick Van Dyke co-stars in this Walt Disney movie and will be best remembered by "Chim Chim Cheree". He plays Bert, the humorous chimney sweep. Uncle Albert, the man who laughs at everything, is played by Ed Wynn.

"A feat of prestidigitation with many more lifts than lapses." (Time Magazine)



B. Pinto

What a day this has been! And it ain't even over! I woke up this morning at 7 a.m. bright, cheery and ready to go for my 8 a.m. class. Before I knew it, the period was over. It was then the roof came down.

Immediately, the students commenced beating their fists on the desks screaming, "More! More! More!" Then a few of us, including me, held up lit matches and cigarette lighters like they do at rock concerts.

"I don't understand why they do this to us students!!!" My friend screamed as I set his hair on fire.

Later on, the college president, Dr. Crawford, announced to the English department that this day be declared Adolph Hitler Day. In celebration, we would throw our textbooks in a big bonfire. The present courses would be deleted and new ones substituted. Among them would be "Poetry Interpretations of Paul

the traditional "Friday Flick". Due to these special attractions the scheduled movie, Serpico will be cancelled.

LAST TANGO IN PARIS

Last Tango in Paris exposes Marlon Brando as Paul. Paul is a middle aged American whose wife, who ran a "house of delight", commits suicide.

Brando finds he is in need of companionship so he invites a French girl to his apartment. They immediately begin acting out their innermost fantasies. This becomes an habitual activity but their actions go deeper than sex. Paul realizes that what started as a near rape has now become a desperate need for him. Quite a while passes before either exchanges any information concerning themselves—including their names.

"Is 'Tango' an artistic breakthrough, the first poetic shock in a wave of serious films about sexuality?" (Charles Michener-Newsweek)

Warped Wit

McCartney and Mohammed Ali" and "Short Stories of Rod Serling and Gabe Kotter".

A new class for the Phys. Ed. department was introduced by Dr. Crawford, as well, called "Harpooning I-IV". Here, the class would throw spears at their favorite dean while he frantically swims through the pool. This course was presented in an effort to cut the amount of deficiency slips sent to students. Sound thinking, Norm.

I also heard today that the campus cafeteria set up a menu of tasty meals. From now on, we would get our food on clean dishes and not only that, the meals would be so grease-free you won't have to worry about it sliding off the plates. The students would also now have the option of having their dinner with or without cockroaches.

Yessiree, a lot happened today. The only thing that bugged me was that I found out what a cheap calendar watch I own. It says March 32.

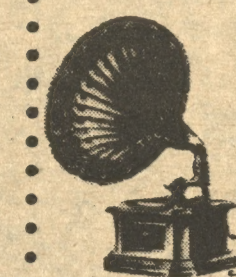
CCPB To Get No-Show Band One More Time

Ed Bailout, CCPB Concert Chairman, told The Fryer that the group TIMBERLINE has signed a contract for a two-hour long concert on Friday evening, April 31. A concert with TIMBERLINE last year was the best SSC concert in recent memory and Ed has been anxious to book a return engagement.

A TIMBERLINE concert was originally scheduled for last fall but two days before the concert, the lead guitar player broke a guitar string and the group had to cancel. Another concert was set up in January but a wrong turn on Route 13 led the group to an appreciative but bewildered audience at the Pocomoke Middle School. Ed arranged yet another concert for February but an auto accident (TIMBERLINE'S right windshield wiper was mangled by a disappointed groupie) forced another cancellation. In

spite of TIMBERLINE'S other cancellations, Ed is confidently predicting a large crowd (anywhere from 15-20 people) for this long-awaited concert.

Because Ed was unable to submit the proper "Space Request Form" for use of campus facilities six months prior to the event, the only space left on the night of April 31 was the North Restroom on the second floor of Pocomoke Hall. Due to the limited seating capacity, tickets good for 10 minutes of listening time will be required. Tickets are free of charge and may be picked up anytime from 2:50 to 3 p.m. on Thursday, April 30 in the CCPB office (located somewhere in Chester Hall) simply by showing your validated student ID card, social security card, current driver's license, Student Buying Power Card, birth certificate, and two other positive forms of identification.



The Raving(?) Record Reviewer

By Kris Messick

Laverne And Shirley Sing

The Surgeon General has suggested that a country-wide ban be placed on some of the more deleterious material, to go into effect immediately, as one 13 year old kid from NYC was reported to have gone comatose after listening to "Da Do Ron Ron" for a solid 24 hours. Don't come crying to me if you pull a trick like this. Even too much of a great thing can cause a drastic weight gain, hair loss, or in an extreme case, loss of short-term memory.

"Chapel of Love", on the other hand, has rocketed to the tiptop of the campus radio station's Playlist, a unanimous favorite of all WSSC DJs.

"I'm speechless," retorted WSSC Station Manager, "Crazy Joey" Norton, when asked to comment on this unprecedented recording.

Tom Bradley, program director of the station, had more to add to his colleague's dumbfoundedness.

"What can I say, it's fantastic!" he said as he strolled down the hallway. "Da Do Ron Ron, give me some grease."

Handy Massage Service



Our hands are at your service



"Once a king, always a king; once a knight is enough!"

Mistake In Construction Level New Physical Activities Center

Tonight at midnight, the new SSC Physical Activities Center will be demolished.

J. Roland Blastfield & Sons, the main contractors for the \$4.7 million building, announced at a press conference today that a recent Senate Subcommittee has audited the firm's books and found an unexplained shortage of \$.10.

I. P. Daily, spokesman for the Blastfield Company, made public the whereabouts of the \$.10 in question. It seems that in laying the foundation for the phys. ed. center, one of the workmen, Al Fingers, accidentally dropped a dime into the concrete.

Apparently the dime was being used as a gauge in determining the proper thickness of the concrete to be poured in the swimming pool. To satisfy government officials, the dime must be recovered—intact!

So at midnight tonight, the entire complex will be leveled by a newly developed two-step process:

Step 1—30 billion firecrackers will encircle the gym and be lit simultaneously.

Step 2—The resulting debris will then be smashed by a team of three old ladies from Tomoke, New York. The ladies will be armed with knitting needles and air hammers. Officials hope that this new two-step process won't upset the seismic patterns of the delicate Delmarva region.

Two agents representing the Internal Revenue Service will sift the entire rubble through a Melita Coffee Filter, in search of the \$.10 in question. Time is not of the essence!

The local television station, WBOM, has had their dedicated staff of meteorological technicians study the weather to be incurred during the demolition. They informed college officials that high, gusting winds coming from the south will hit the campus around midnight. During day-

light hours the winds will circle the campus counterclockwise while at night they will blow horizontally.

In anticipation of the powerful winds, school officials have struck upon a novel idea of keeping the debris from becoming airborne. Each member of the State Maintenance Crew has been assigned a plastic shovel and bucket (similar to the type encountered at the beaches) and instructed to excavate the Astro-Turf covering the SSC baseball field. The synthetic turf will be transported across Route 13 by a team of Frank Purdue's finest chickens. The turf will be stretched over the remains of the gym in hopes that the wind will not

pick up any loose objects. Because as anyone knows, loose objects are easiest to pick up!

But back to the gym. The Art Dept. of SSC is hoping that the fragments of the gym will still be available when their annual Art Show takes place. Many students feel that perhaps the entire remains of the gym should be swept onto a shingle and entered in the Art Show.

Dozens of titles have been suggested, should the gym be entered in the show, but by far this is the most appropriate: S.O.S.



This once familiar sight will soon become just another memory to students at SSC. Midnight, April 1, the new Physical Activities Center will be demolished in order to satisfy government officials.

'Gator Wrestling Next Semester

And sport fans, beware! The sport of alligator wrestling is coming to Salisbury State College in the fall. Alligator wrestling was first introduced to SSC on the weekend of March 25 when team members from the University of South Florida gave a demonstration of the sport in the swimming pool of the new Physical Activities Center.

Members of the Physical Education Department viewed this demonstration and decided to bring 'gator wrestling, as they call it down south, to SSC. Fred Thompson, assistant coach of the South Florida 'gator team will be coaching here at Salisbury in the Fall.

The team will consist of eight wrestlers. Since it is a co-ed sport, four men and four women are desired. Weight classes are not required as in human wrestling. The only major requirement is being able to hold your breath for one and a half minutes minimum.

Rules for 'gator wrestling will be the same as in human wrestling. SSC's eight participants will participate against an opposing college. There will be three periods of two minutes. Points will be given for the holds and reversals used. The winner, the person or alligator, will be determined by the number of points given or the pinning of the opponent on the bottom of the pool.

A small section of the swimming pool and concrete area will be caged in to hold the eight alligators the college is purchasing.

SSC will be up against such schools as Georgia Tech, N.C. State, Ohio State and an instate school, Towson U. Tryouts are scheduled for the first week in September. If anyone is interested come on out and grab a 'gator.

Watch for our

Grand Opening Sale! College Snack Bar

Finally one location to serve the SSC students.

**April 1 — Devilbiss Science Hall, 5th Floor
Men's Room**

April 3 — Holloway Hall Bell Tower (carry-out only)

April 5 — Exxon Station, Fruitland, Maryland

**April 7 — Dr. Crawford's Office (by one months advance
reservation only)**

**April 9 — Back Seat of Dean Stewart's
Volkswagon**